BARNSTABLE COUNTY

In the Year Two Thousand and Four

Resolution 04-06

WHEREAS, The Army Corps of has issued a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) regarding the construction of 130 electricity-generating wind turbines in Nantucket Sound;

WHEREAS, The DEIS is a very substantial document containing almost 4,000 pages that discusses numerous environmental issues;

WHEREAS, The comment period for the DEIS is sixty (60) days;

WHEREAS, In order to review the DEIS, and then respond to the DEIS in a comprehensive manner, more than sixty (60) days will be required by Barnstable County to complete its review.

WHEREAS, The Assembly of Delegates is concerned about the regional environmental and economic impacts of industrial activity in Nantucket Sound.

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Assembly of Delegates:

The Assembly of Delegates requests that the Army Corps of Engineers extend the comment period on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement to at least one hundred twenty (120) days.

The foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Barnstable County Assembly of Delegates by a voice vote with 90.00% of Barnstable County Delegates present and voting at a regular meeting held on November 17, 2004.

Attested by:

Thomas P. Bernardo, Speaker

Barnstable County Assembly of Delegates